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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS
COMPANY, LIMITED.

WANTED at once a Respectable EURO-
PEAN to act as a General Manager
INSPECTOR and OFFICE ASSISTANT.
Salary \$30 per month plus \$100 by annual
increments of \$10. Personal application to be
made at the West Point Office of the Company.
Hongkong, 14th December, 1899. [3107]

WANTED.
A MIDDLE-SIZED GODOWN from
Reply to
Care of Office of this Paper.
Hongkong, 14th December, 1899. [3109]

CONCERT.
AT ST. ANDREW'S HALL, CITY HALL.
SATURDAY,
the 16th December, 1899, at 8.30 p.m.

In Aid of "THE KOWLOON INSTITUTE"
"THE STAR COFFEE HOUSE."

PROGRAMME.
1.—Song—"The Gallant Schomander," Bernard
Mr. A. HARRIS, H. K. R.
2.—Song—"Ask nothing more," Mrs. VALERIE
3.—Song—"Madrigal," Crompton
4.—Song—"From Faust," Gounod
Madame SCULFORD.
5.—Song—"The Redonneted Song," Pissini
Mr. C. H. GRACE.
6.—Violin Duet—"Sonatina," Weber
(2) "Nocturne"
Mr. C. SCULFORD and Mr. H. A. STONE.
7.—Song—"Love, could I only tell thee,"
Mr. G. H. ARBON.
8.—Song—"Mrs. BARNLEY."
9.—Song—"Oodli di Fata," L. Doria
Mr. E. DE CALO.
10.—Song—"The W. W. CAMPBELL."
11.—Duet—"Handel," A. Thomas
Madame SCULFORD and Mr. R. DE CALO.
12.—Recitation
The Hon. H. E. POLLOCK.
Tickets may be obtained from the Comptroller
of the City Hall, on MONDAY, the 11th
December, and the following days between
10 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Front Seats (Reserved) Two Dollars.
Back Seats One Dollar.
Hongkong, 14th December, 1899. [3108]

CHINESE EASTERN RAILWAY
SEAFOOD STEAMSHIP SERVICE
FOR NAGASAKI, FORT ARTHUR
AND WILDIWOSTOCK.

THE Steamship
"USSURI" (ex "HORNOLLO")
Captain Lindsay, will be despatched for the
above ports on SATURDAY, the 16th inst.,
at 11 a.m.
This steamer has superior accommodation
for First and Second-Class Passengers.
For Freight or Passage apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th December, 1899. [3110]

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR KORE.
"TAIYUAN."
Captain Nelson, will be despatched as above
on WEDNESDAY, the 20th inst.
For Freight or Passage apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1899. [3106]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
"GLEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.
FROM MIDDLEBROOK, ANTWERP,
LONDON, AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship
"GLENLOCH"
having arrived from the above ports, Consignees
of Cargo by her, are hereby informed that their
goods are being landed at their risk into the
Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Co., Limited, Kowloon, where
each consignment will be sorted out mark by
mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as
the Goods are landed.
Optional goods will be carried on unless
instructions are given to the contrary before
4 p.m. TO-DAY.
Goods not cleared by the 20th inst. will
be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
All damaged packages must be left in the
Godowns, and a certificate of the damage ob-
tained from the Godown Co. within ten days
of steamer's arrival, after which no claims will
be recognized.
McGREGOR BROS. & CO.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1899. [3105]

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
THE Steamship
"PREUSSEN."
OF THE NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.
The above named steamer having arrived,
Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that
their Goods, with the exception of Opium,
Treasures, and Valuables, are being landed and
stored at their risk into the Godowns of the
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co.,
Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be
obtained.
Optional cargo will be forwarded unless
notice to the contrary be given before Noon,
TO-DAY.
No claims will be admitted after the Goods
have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain-
ing undelivered after the 21st December will
be subject to rent.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are
to be left in the Godowns, where they shall be
examined on THURSDAY, the 21st December,
and THURSDAY, the 28th December, at
9.30 a.m.
All claims must reach us before the 28th
December, or they will not be recognized.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the
undesignated.
NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.
MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1899. [3104]

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY,
LIMITED.

PORTLAND CEMENT.
5 per Cask of 87 1/2 lbs. net. See Godown
SHEWAN TOMES & CO.

INSURANCES

STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.
POLICIES UNCHALLENGEABLE.
Policies are non-transferable after two years
duration, on any grant connected with the
original documents, if any have been proved.
Forms of Proposal and all particulars may be
obtained from
DODWELL & CO., LIMITED,
Agents.
Hongkong, 9th November, 1899. [2-41394]

**Past, Present
and Future
Christmas.**

we are shown to "Rheumatism Struggle" in his
dream in Dickens's "Christmas Carol." YOU
can't see the "future," but you can see the
"past" and "present." Suppose you should
have a dream that would tell you "Christ-
mas future." Don't you think it might very
possibly cause you to take steps to protect your
loved ones or to provide for your own old age?
"Don't you think a contract that accomplishes
both these results would make a good Christmas
present?"

**THE EQUABLE
LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.**
OF THE UNITED STATES.
"Strongest in the World."

Apply (stating your age) for particulars of the
"Guaranteed Cash Value Policies" to the
Society's Branch Office, No. 8, Praya, Hong-
kong.

**THE GREAT EASTERN AND CAL-
DONIAN GOLD-MINING COMPANY,**
LIMITED.

RECONSTRUCTION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SHAREHOLDERS in the Old Company
are reminded that unless they apply for
Shares in the New Company on or before the
15th inst. they will forfeit their right to
any Shares in the New Company.
Applications should be sent in at once to the
undersigned, from whom Forms can be obtained.
Dated the 5th day of December, 1899.
LUTHERN, NEWMAN & CO.,
General Agents.
9, Praya Central, Hongkong. [3041]

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY,
COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Fifteenth Ordinary Gen-
eral Meeting of the SHARE-
HOLDERS of the above Company will be held
at the Registered Office of the Company, 38
and 40, Queen's Road Central, on THURS-
DAY, the 24th day of December, 1899, at
Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report
of the General Managers together with a
Statement of Accounts for the year ending
30th November, 1899.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 23rd
December, both days inclusive.
W. HUTTON POTTS,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 1st December, 1899. [2998]

**THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL
TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the
FIFTEENTH ORDINARY GEN-
ERAL MEETING of the SHARE-
HOLDERS of the above Company will be held
at the Registered Office of the Company, 38
and 40, Queen's Road Central, on THURS-
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December, both days inclusive.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1899. [3103]

**THE RAUB AUSTRALIAN GOLD
MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.**

A DIVIDEND (No. 9) of ONE SHILLING
per Share has been DECLARED,
payable on the 15th day of January, 1900, in
British currency at the Bank of Australia, in
London, in Sterling, and in Singapore, in
respect of Shares of the Singapore Branch
Register, in Local currency at Exchange 1/11.
Notice is hereby given that the Singapore
Branch REGISTER will be CLOSED from the
7th day of January, 1900 to the 31st day
of January, 1900, inclusive.
Notice is also hereby given that a CALL of
ONE SHILLING per Share on all Contributing
Shares, has been made, payable on or before the
15th day of January, 1900.
Dividends on all Contributing Shares will be
paid by the Company in payment of
CALLS.
Prizes will be entered with the payment of
CALLS if sent to the Company's Office.
By Order of the Directors,
G. A. DERRICK,
Local Secretary.
Singapore, 8th December, 1899. [3092]

**WHY NOT HAVE YOUR REPAIRS
DONE BY A PRACTICAL MAN.**

THE Undersigned Offers to Undertake
the Following Repairs:
Iron Safes, Patent Locks, Weighing Ma-
chines, Balances, Mathematical Instruments,
Musical Boxes, Phonographs, Photographic
Apparatus, Cycles, Typewriters, &c., &c.
Absolute efficiency and most careful at-
tention combined with moderate charges are
guaranteed.
Two European Workmen attached to the
House.
E. MERTENHALER & CO.,
1, Tse Hoo Street,
Hongkong. [3086]

JUST LANDED.
IN SPLENDID CONDITION.
A LARGE VARIETY
OF THE
BEST ENGLISH AND FRENCH
CONFECTIONERY
PRICES: FROM 2s. 6d. TO 20s. PER LB.
G. GIRAULT,
4, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

MANILA CIGARS.
ALWAYS ON HAND THE BEST MARKS.
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SHEWAN TOMES & CO.

ENTERTAINMENTS

THEATRE ROYAL.
CITY HALL.

**THE HONGKONG
DRAMATIC CLUB.**
will give
TWO PERFORMANCES
of the
LAUGHABLE FARCE,
ENTITLED
"MOTHER-IN-LAW"
IN THREE ACTS
BY
TALFOURD TWIGG, Esq.,
on
THURSDAY, 21st December, 1899,
SATURDAY, 23rd December, 1899,
Commencing each Evening at 9 p.m. precisely.

Dress Circle, 3s. Stalls, 2s. 6d. 1st.
Half-price to 1st for Soldiers, Sailors and
Folios in Uniform.

Tickets can be obtained at the Booking Office
of the Theatre, City Hall, on and after MON-
DAY, 19th December, at 10 a.m.
Booking Office will be Open daily from that
date from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily.

Late Trains will run till after the fall of
the curtain.
H. C. NICOLLE,
Acting Manager.
Hongkong, 4th December, 1899. [3027]

THEATRE ROYAL.
CITY HALL.

**A
GRAND ENTERTAINMENT**
SATURDAY, the 16th January, 1900,
in the
THEATRE ROYAL,
at 9 p.m.

In Aid of the
SOUTH AFRICAN FUND.
Under the Patronage of
H.E. Sir HENRY & Lady BLAIR,
H.E. Major-General & Mrs. GASCOIGNE,
Commanders & Mrs. POWELL,
and all the
Leading Citizens.

Full Particulars Later.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1899. [3101]

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE.
AN "EMPIRE" TYPEWRITER for
Sale, cheap, little used.
Apply
Box 50,
Care of Office of this Paper.
Hongkong, 8th December, 1899. [3031]

**RAMBLER
CYCLES.**
At \$10.
A lot of new and second-hand
cycles, with new and second-hand
machines, for sale at a low price.
The best value on earth for the money.
Double tyres and steel rims and all the latest
improvements in Cycle Construction. Ac-
cessories of every description.
RAMBLER & CO.,
The Rambler Agency.
Hongkong, 20th November, 1899. [2928]

**VICTORIA
CYCLE
EMPORIUM.**

THE pleasure of cycling consists in having
a first class machine, and the above
Establishment is always ready to supply.
We are Agents for the famous "NEW
HOWE" and "MONOPOL" CYCLES,
and we also supply fittings of every description.
Bicycles can be had in second-hand machines.
Repairs executed with promptitude and skill.
Rebuilding a specialty.
McKIBBY & CO.,
43 & 45, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.
Hongkong, 3rd November, 1899. [2461]

NAPIER JOHNSTON'S.

SQUARE BOTTLE WHISKY
The sale of this good Scotch increases month
by month. It is of Superb Quality and of
Genuine, PALMER & Co's. Blended.
Sole Agents for
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
Hongkong.

JOHN WALKER & SONS'
FAMOUS
KILMARNOCK WHISKY.
This World-renowned
Fine Old HIGHLAND WHISKY is shipped by
CUTLER, PALMER & Co., and is
obtainable in Hongkong of
G. C. ANDERSON,
No. 13, Praya Central,
Hongkong, 29th July, 1897. [43]

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& CO.'S**

WINE SHIPPERS SINCE 1816.
Who have consigned their Brands to Hongkong
for over half a century.
Apply to G. C. ANDERSON,
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"SPECIAL BLEND" WHISKY.
Blended
of Selected
Distillations of the
Finest Scotch Whisky.
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FROM \$30

OIL COOKING STOVES
SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO OUR STOCK OF
OIL WARMING STOVES
FOR OFFICES, &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

SURE CURE FOR INDIGESTION.

**JOHNSON'S
DIGESTIVE TABLETS.**

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
QUEEN'S ROAD, [3032]

**CLUB
WHISKY**

A FIRST CLASS WHISKY AT A POPULAR PRICE.
H. PRICE & CO.,
12, QUEEN'S ROAD.

BISMARCK & CO.,
28, PRAYA CENTRAL.

SHIP CHANDLERS, PROVISION, and COAL MERCHANTS, have for sale Paints
of all kinds, Bagging, Oil, English and Japanese Coal, &c. Just received a shipment of
HAWKERS of 1st Patent Cast Steel Wire Ropes, IRON BEDS, INDICATOR
and BELLS with Nos. 6 to 24 Russian rope, tarred ropes 1" to 5", and 1/2" and 3/4" Chain Clamps.
Sole Agents for Dumas & Co.'s KIEL IMPERIAL and LAGER BEER. [3035]

COTTAM & CO.
HAYE RECEIVED A
NEW STOCK OF WINTER UNDERCLOTHING
AND THE LATEST STYLE IN
SCARVES AND COLLARS.

AQUARIUS.
"THE LATEST THING IN MINERAL WATERS THAT WE
IT PLAIN, WE HAVE TRIED IT WITH WHISKY, AND HAVE
NOTHING BUT GOOD TO SAY OF IT."

MAN OF THE WORLD, LONDON.
CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO.,
AGENTS,
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**STOCKBROKERS'
TELEGRAM CODE.**
CLOTH: 42s. 6d. POSTAGE EXTRA. APPROVAL
"CODE."
Care of Office of this Paper.

RAINIER BEER.
PURE, SPARKLING, INVIGORATING AND
HEALTHGIVING.
"Undoubtedly the best Beer that has yet been brewed in America."
PRICE—
Per Case of 6 dozen PINTS \$13.50 net.
"4" QUARTS \$13.50 net.
Apply to the newly-appointed
SOLE AGENTS for Hongkong and South China
A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.
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ESTABLISHED IN LONDON IN 1815.

SHIPPERS TO CHINA FOR 75 YEARS.
Their Brand are everywhere known all over the World.
The following are some of their Stocks with the undersigned—
SUPERB OLD COGNAC,
\$22.50 per doz.
Distinguished by 4 Stars on the label.
ANOTHER FINE COGNAC, \$16.75 per doz.
Less old than the above.
**THE BLITE OF WHISKY—
"THE PALL MALL,"**
\$20 per doz.
11 Years old; the finest quality shipped.
Each bottle bears an Analyst's certificate.
**C. P. & CO.'S OWN SPECIAL
BLEND WHISKY,**
\$10.75 per doz.
Very soft, palatable, and aromatic.
EVERYBODY SHOULD TRY THESE WHISKIES; THEY ARE UNEQUALLED AT THE PRICES.
Agents—SIEMSEN & CO., HONGKONG. [3040]

DOUROS SHERRY,
\$20 per doz.
A fine, full, and fruity wine.
LA TORRE SHERRY,
\$16.75 per doz.
A natural and most palatable wine to the taste.
**BENEDICTINE LIQUEUR—
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\$30.75 per doz.

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Galaes of the best.
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CHARGES MODERATE. [3037]

PEAK HOTEL
AND
CRAIGIEBURN.

THE PEAK HOTEL is situated at Victoria
Gap, adjoining the Tramway Terminus,
1,350 feet above sea level.
CRAIGIEBURN is situated at Planket's
Gap, five minutes walk from Peak Hotel.
Fine healthy location—variety of beautiful
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Cool southerly breezes in Summer, with per-
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in Winter.
Well appointed rooms, attentive service and
excellent cuisine.
A. MOIR, Manager.
City Office, 7, Duddell Street. [3077]

THE WAVERLEY HOTEL.
ICE HOUSE STREET, HONGKONG.

**FIRST-CLASS PRIVATE
FAMILY HOTEL.**

VISITORS WILL FIND THE WAVER-
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COMFORT, CLEANLINESS, AND
GOOD COOKING. [1921]

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A rooms, elegantly furnished.
The Hotel is situated near all the Banks and
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